

PATENT/DESIGN PATENT

DECLARATION

As a below-named inventor, I(we) hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I verily believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

A FORK-LIFT TRUCK

(Insert invention title)

the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in the declaration.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information which is known to be material to patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119, of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

(List prior foreign applications)

COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 37 USC 119
Germany	103 05 900.8	13 / 02 / 2003	[X] YES NO []
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Title: A FORK-LIFT TRUCK

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As Assignee of record of the entire interest of the above identified patent application, hereby appoints the following attorneys to insert the docket no., filing date and application number of said application above when known; to prosecute this application and any application claiming priority therefrom; to execute any terminal disclaimers on behalf of assignee; and to transact all business of the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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Invention
Title:

have invented and own the entire United States right, title and interest in an invention for

A FORK-LIFT TRUCK

disclosed in my application for United States Letter Patent filed

[x] concurrently herewith

[] on _____ and assigned Serial No. _____; and

I hereby authorize and request any attorney of Vidas, Arrett & Steinkraus, P.A., Suite 2000, 6109 Blue Circle Drive, Minnetonka, MN 55343-9131, to insert the filing date and application number of said application above when known.

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